

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE BILL ANALYSIS

AMENDMENT DATE: April 6, 2011
POSITION: Support

BILL NUMBER: AB 140
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BILL SUMMARY: Claims Against the State: Payment

This bill, an urgency measure, would appropriate \$232,000 General Fund for the payment of two specified settlements and judgments.

FISCAL SUMMARY

This bill would appropriate \$232,000 General Fund to the Department of Justice for the following:

- \$167,000 for attorney's fees and costs awarded against the state in *Shaw v. Chiang, et al.*, Sacramento County Superior Court Case No. 07CS01179.
- \$65,000 for a settlement in the case of *Lord, et al. v. Schwarzenegger, et al.*, San Francisco County Superior Court Case No. CPF-09-509770.

Any funds appropriated in excess of the amounts required for the payment of this claim would revert to the General Fund.

COMMENTS

The Department of Finance supports this bill, as it contains payments for settlements and judgments that the Administration has approved. The cost of this bill is reflected in the Administration's current fiscal plan.

Code/Department Agency or Revenue Type	SO	(Fiscal Impact by Fiscal Year)							
	LA	(Dollars in Thousands)							
	CO	PROP							Fund
	RV	98	FC	2010-2011	FC	2011-2012	FC	2012-2013	Code
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